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Processor instructions fetching method, involves receiving instruction request and searching cache system for instruction at initial level and next level parallelly based on initial level parameter

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NOVELTY - The method involves receiving a request for an instruction and searching a **cache** system at an initial level for the instruction. A parameter corresponding to the initial level is determined and is compared with a predetermined threshold value and when exceeds the threshold value the **cache** system is searched at a next level for the instruction in **parallel** with the initial level.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION - INDEPENDENT CLAIMS are also included for the following:

(a) a computer readable storage medium storing a set of instructions capable of being executed by processor

(b) a processor instruction management system.

USE - Used for fetching processor instructions.

ADVANTAGE - The time required to search the initial level is significantly shorter than the time required for searching the next level, thereby increasing the processor speed.

DESCRIPTION OF DRAWING(S) - The drawing shows a flowchart of a method of **predicting** a trace **cache** miss.

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METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR IDENTIFYING CANDIDATE VIRTUAL ADDRESSES IN A CONTENT-AWARE PREFETCHER

PROCEDE ET DISPOSITIF POUR IDENTIFIER DES ADRESSES VIRTUELLES DE CANDIDATS DANS UN SYSTEME DE LECTURE ANTICIPEE CONSCIENT DU CONTENU

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#### English Abstract

A method and apparatus for identifying virtual addresses in a **cache** line. To differentiate candidate virtual addresses from data values and random bit patterns, the upper bits of an address-sized word in the **cache** line are compared with the upper bits of the **cache** line's effective address. If the upper bits of the address-sized word match the upper bits of the effective address, the address-sized word is identified as a candidate virtual address.